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			Priority Claimed	
2002-56229	Republic of Korea	16/September/2002	**Yes**	No
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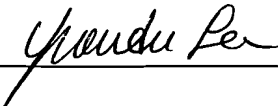Bloomfield, CT 06002   Philmore H. Colburn II
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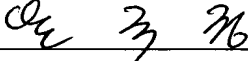   Date

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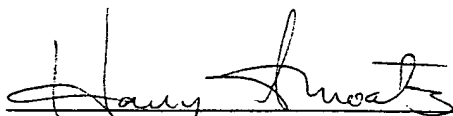Daejeon, Republic of Korea

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